

### **REMARKS**

This amendment is offered in response to the Office Action of March 15, 2006.

The Office Action rejected the claims under 35 U.S.C. §102(b) as being anticipated by the Berreras reference (U.S. Patent No. 5,733,313) and the Parise reference (U.S. Patent No. 5,982,139). These references disclose directional radio transmission specifically aimed at a target where the battery recharging occurs. Additionally, these references disclose nothing regarding frequency, amplitude or phase modulation, such as would be used with spread spectrum techniques which maximize power transfer and reduce or eliminate interference with other transmitted signals in use by other devices such as wireless phones, radios, etc.

The independent claims have been amended herein to recite omnidirectional transmission of signals which are modulated, selected from the group consisting of frequency modulation, amplitude modulation and phase modulation (Claim 18 as filed reciting all three modulations).

It is therefore respectfully submitted that the rejection has been overcome.

For all of the reasons above, it is respectfully submitted that all of the presently pending claims are in immediate condition for allowance. The Examiner is respectfully requested to withdraw the rejections of the claims, to allow the claims, and to pass this application to early issue.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ronald E. Brown", with a stylized flourish at the end.

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